DIALOG(R)File 351:Derwent WPI (c) 2005 Thomson Derwent. All rts. reserv. 014446212 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 2002-266915/200231 XRPX Acc No: N02-207450 Road user and obstacle detecting method for camera-based precrash detection system of vehicle, involves marking and ranging identified image regions, and type-classifying the image regions Patent Assignee: DAIMLERCHRYSLER AG (DAIM); GLOGER J (GLOG-I); OBERLAENDER M (OBER-I); WOLTERMANN B (WOLT-I) Inventor: GLOGER J; OBERLAENDER M; WOLTERMANN B; OBERLANDER M Number of Countries: 005 Number of Patents: 007 Patent Family: Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week US 20010045981 A1 20011129 US 2001862947 A 20010522 200231 B DE 10025678 A1 20011220 DE 10025678 A 20000524 200231 FR 2809360 A1 20011130 FR 20016801 A 20010523 200231 JP 2002059796 A 20020226 JP 2001154493 A 20010523 200231 GB 2368118 A 20020424 GB 20018720 A 20010406 200235 GB 2368118 B 20021127 GB 20018720 A 20010406 200303 US 6838980 B2 20050104 US 2001862947 A 20010522 200503 Priority Applications (No Type Date): DE 10025678 A 20000524 Patent Details: Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes US 20010045981 A1 5 H04N-007/18 DE 10025678 A1 B60R-021/01 FR 2809360 A1 B60R-021/01 JP 2002059796 A 5 B60R-021/00 GB 2368118 A B60R-021/01 GB 2368118 B B60R-021/01 US 6838980 B2 B60Q-001/00 Abstract (Basic): US 20010045981 A1 NOVELTY - The method involves identifying regions within a two-dimensional camera image, that is not resolved with respect to distance, by using classifying unit (2) designed for detecting road users and obstacles. The identified regions are marked and ranged using a distance sensor (3) with respect to regions' distance from observer. The identified regions are type classified using a type classifier (5). DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a road user and obstacles detection device. USE - For camera-based precrash detection system of vehicle. ADVANTAGE - Enables reliable detection and classification of road users based on camera images. DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of detection device. Classifying unit (2) Distance sensor (3) Type classifier (5) pp; 5 DwgNo 1/1 Title Terms: ROAD; USER; OBSTACLE; DETECT; METHOD; CAMERA; BASED; DETECT;

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